IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF DELAWARE

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In re		
		Chapter 11
Lordstown Motors Corp., et al., 1		Case No. 23-10831 (MFW)
	Debtors.	(Jointly Administered)

AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLICATION OF NOTICE OF AUCTION AND SALE HEARING IN THE WALL STREET JOURNAL AND AUTOMTOTIVE NEWS

This Affidavit of Publication includes the sworn statements verifying that the Notice of Auction and Sale Hearing was published and incorporated by reference herein as follows:

- 1. In The Wall Street Journal on August 11, 2023, attached hereto as Exhibit A;
- 2. In Automotive News on August 14, 2023, attached hereto as Exhibit B;

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The Debtors and the last four digits of their respective taxpayer identification numbers are: Lordstown Motors Corp. (3239); Lordstown EV Corporation (2250); and Lordstown EV Sales LLC (9101). The Debtors' service address is 27000 Hills Tech Dr., Farmington Hills, MI 48331.

Exhibit A

Wayne Sidor

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BUSINESS & FINANCE

Europe Embarks on Mining Renaissance

Governments want a secure supply of green minerals but face stiff opposition

By Yusuf Khan

COVAS DO BARROSO, Portugal—Tucked away in the mountains of northern Portugal, about two hours northeast from the country's second-largest city of Porto, sits this idyllic farming village. It is home to under 200 people, most over the age of 60. The nearest town, Boticas, is a 20-minute drive away, and if you stand on the hilltop, the only sounds you hear are the cattle, song birds and insects.

Covas, however, is set to play host to the green-energy transition in its rawest form. Just a third of a mile away is one of Europe's richest lithium deposits and a planned mining operation to dig out the min-

Locals are worried about the environmental impact as well as the blight on the village from the mine. A protest is scheduled later this month. "Our biggest opposition to the mine is that they want to destroy us," said Nelson Gomes, president of Associação Unidos em defesa de Covas do Barroso, the local protest group.

Governments and companies around the world are scrambling to find new sources of critical materials—and in doing so they are easing the approval process for projects that once took years or sometimes more than a decade to get off the ground. Additional supplies of metals like copper, nickel and lithium are going to be crucial to meet the growing demand for the energy transition—with the wiring, magnets, motors and battery cells used in green technologies such as electric vehicles, wind turbines and batteries for storage all requiring mined minerals.

"No doubt there is a real demand story," said Alex Gorman, mining analyst at U.K. investment bank Peel Hunt. "We



Despite worries about the environmental impact, several companies are beginning to tap mineral resources.

are talking about a 35-fold increase in lithium demand and we do not have any large-scale lithium mines in Europe. It's a massive problem."

But as governments fasttrack approvals on such projects and struggle to convey the importance of efforts to secure materials for the green-energy transition, resistance is growing among locals like the Covas

Race for resources

The proposed Covas site is one of the nearly 50 mines now expected to open across Europe by 2030. In Germany, Vulcan Energy Resources is looking to open a lithium mine, harnessing a new technology for extracting the battery metal from brine. In Sweden, Copperstone Resources is hoping to reopen a brownfield mine site to extract the red metal, while Adriatic Metals has just started mining for silver and zinc in Bosnia, with more projects planned from Finland to

renaissance," said Rebecca cording to Jayni Hein, of coun-Campbell, global mining and metals lead at law firm White & Case. "For many of us who have been working in the sector, it's the first time we are seeing primary projects in Europe during our careers."

The situation in Europe and "It's definitely a [mining] the U.S. is strikingly similar, ac-

sel at law firm Covington & Burling and former senior director for clean energy, infrastructure and the National Environmental Policy Act at the White House Council on Environmental Quality.

"There's an uptick in inter-

and production in the U.S.," driven by the passage of the climate law known as the Inflation Reduction Act in 2022, said Hein. She said the IRA and other acts have increased funds available for federal agencies to accelerate and improve permitting but noted that working with individual states and their legislatures remains a challenge. "We're trying to foster a permitting landscape that is

In Europe, the mining renaissance comes after years of nearly no new mining activity on the continent. Usually, opening a new mine takes 10 to 15 years, often because permitting can take years, according to Peel Hunt's Gorman.

both efficient and responsible."

The Covas deposit

In 2017 Savannah Resources, a London-listed mining company, identified the Covas deposit as a possible area to mine, hoping to cash in on green demand. Geological studies of the area stretching back to the 1980s had found possible est in domestic manufacturing lithium reserves. The project,

however, seemed to have stalled after failing to get the backing of Portugal's environmental agency.

That changed this year. In May, Savannah Resources received permitting approval from the environmental agency allowing the company to move forward with pre-feasibility studies that include mining one small site to show how it would proceed with a full-scale operation. The company aims to dig four mine sites in the valley, with the largest 1,600 feet across, about the length of five football fields. Currently, Savannah Resources is mining the smallest of those sites, with some of the proceeds used in the local ceramics industry because the company hasn't yet won approval to process lith-

"Some of the rock that's being mined for spodumene that is currently being mined for ceramics. Well, what we are doing instead of using it all for ceramics, is we're taking the spodumene out and turning that into lithium hydroxide,' said Dale Ferguson, chief executive of Savannah Resources. Lithium hydroxide is used to make cathode materials for lithium-ion batteries.

Locals worry the Covas river will be used by the mine. Savannah Resources, which has set up two offices in the municipality, has said it would strictly avoid that and instead build reservoirs to store rain

But Gomes, the local opposition leader, is doubtful. Savannah Resources "will not take water from the river but they need to take it from somewhere. The river Covas springs 20 kilometers away, so they will take it before the river starts, even if not actually using the river.'

Despite the strong local opposition, Portugal still wants to mine its resources. "We have a responsibility to do so since we have the highest lithium resource [in Europe]," said Ana Fontoura Gouveia, Portugal's secretary of state for energy

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NOTICE OF SALE

In re Lordstown Motors Corp., et al., Debtors. Chapter 11 Case No. 23-10831 (MFW) (Joint Administration Req

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PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that, on June 27, 2023, the abovecaptioned debtors and debtors in possession (collectively,
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PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that, on August 8, 2023 Procedures Order"); (a) approving the bidding and auction procedures in connection with the sale or sales of all or substantially all of the Debtors' assets or any portion thereof, free and clear of liens, claims, encumbrances, and other interests free and dear of liens, claims, encumbrances, and other interests (the "Sale"), attacked to the Bidding Procedures Order as Schedule_1 (the "Bidding Procedures"); (b) subject to final Court approval, authorizing, but not directing, the Debtors to select one or more Stalking Horse Bidder(s) in accordance with the Bidding Procedures; (c) authorizing the Debtors to conduct an auction (the "Auction") and a sale hearing (the "Sale Hearing") with respect to the Sale; (d) approving the form and manner of the notice of the Bidding Procedures, Auction, and the Sale Hearing, and (e) establishing procedures for the assumption and assignment of the Assumed Contracts (as defined in the Bidding Procedures) to any purchaser(s) of the Assets and approving the manner of footice thereof.

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PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that, pursuant to the September 19, 2023 at 10:30 a.m. (prevailing Eastern Time) via remote video or in-person, at the Debtors' election. In the event the Debtors elect to conduct the Auction in-person, the Auction shall take place at the offices of White & Case LLP, 1221 Avenue of the Americas, New York, NY 10020 or such other location as may be determined by the Debtors. For the avoidance of doubt, any party, other than a Qualified Bidder, that wishes to attend the

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PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that objections to approva of the Sale must be in writing, state the basis of such objection with specificity, and be filed with the Court and served before September 14, 2023 at 4:00 p.m. (prevailing Eastern parties: (a) counsel to the Debtors. (i) White & Case LLP. 200 South Riscavne Roulevard, Suite 4900, Miami, FL 33131, Attn:Thomas F ase.com), and Fan B. He (fhe@whitecase.com), White whitecase.com), and Fan B. He (fhe@whitecase.com), White & Case LLP, 1221 Avenue of the Americas, New York, NY 10020, Attn: David M. Turetsky (david.turetsky@whitecase.com) and Adam (leply (adam.cieply@whitecase.com), and (li) Richards, Layton, & Finger, P.A., 920 North King Street, Wilmington, DE 19801, Attn: Kevin Gross (gross@rlf.com), Daniel J. DeFranceschi (defranceschi@rlf.com), Paul N. Heath (heath@rlf.com), Amanda R. Steele (steele@rlf.com), (b) the Office of the United States Trustee for the District of Delaware, and (c) proposed

counsel to the official committee of unsecured creditors that has been appointed in the Chapter 11 Cases (the "Committee"), (i) Troutman Pepper LLP, Hercules Plaza, Suite 5100, 1313 M. Market Street, Wilmington, DE 19801, Attr. David M. Fournier (david.Gournier/Toutman.com), Marcy McLaughlin Smith (marcy.smith@troutman.com) and Tori L. Remington (tori. remington@troutman.com), (ii) Troutman Pepper LLP, 3000 Two Logan Square, 18th & Arch Streets, Piliadelphia, PA 19103-2799, Attr. Francis I. Lawall (francis.lawall@troutman.com), and (iii) Troutman Pepper LLP, 875 Third Avenue, New York, NY 10022, Attn: Deborah Kovsky-Apap (deborah.kovsky@troutman.com), provided, that any objection to the Sale to the Successful Bidder and adequate assurance of future performance shall be filed on or before **September 26, 2023 at 4:00 p.m. (prevailing**Factorn Time) and served on the same parties. **UNLESS AN** Eastern Time) and served on the same parties. UNLESS AN OBJECTION IS TIMELY SERVED AND FILED IN ACCORDANCE

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San Francisco Lets Cruise, Waymo Add Driverless Cars

By Lindsey Choo

Self-driving car companies Cruise and Waymo can expand in San Francisco.

The California Public Utilities Commission, which regulates passenger transportation, voted on Thursday to allow Cruise, majority-owned by General Motors, and Waymo, part of Google parent Alphabet, to deploy more vehicles in the city and to start charging for rides at all times.

The result, after a vote that had been delayed twice, signifies a big win for the self-driving car companies in their quest to expand statewide and to other cities across the U.S.

San Francisco has played host to thousands of self-driving car test miles, and some residents are regular users. Now the companies want to offer ride-hailing businesses that can compete with Lyft and Uber. Residents have expressed concerns about their deployment. Some first responders say they get in the way, and pedestrians have filled social media with reports of the cars' antics.

"We do expect the AV companies to engage with first responders, with law enforcement, with city officials and we do expect actions to address concerns. In the meantime, the resolutions before us do meet our requirements," said Alice Reynolds, president of the commission.

The commission voted 3 to 1 to approve the companies' proposals. Commissioner Genevieve Shiroma rejected them after saying a vote was premature. She pointed out that Cruise and Waymo hadn't provided the number of vehicles they planned to deploy if the resolutions were approved.

Waymo said after the vote it will begin charging fares for rider-only trips in the city in the coming weeks and will be gradually inviting more people on the wait list for the app to ride. Cruise didn't respond to a request for comment.





Before the vote, dozens of people spent several hours making public comments for and against the companies' proposals. Some urged the commission to reject them, citing concerns over the readiness of the technology, disability accessibility and the threat to human jobs. Others encouraged the commission to embrace technology that could eliminate human error and improve safety and disability accessibility. Some in favor of the proposals identified themselves as testers and partners associated with Cruise and Waymo.

Cruise currently offers paid rides at night in San Francisco, while people have been riding in Waymo cars free of charge as the company sought the state's permission to offer paid rides. Both apps have waiting

In May, San Francisco city officials sent a letter to the state expressing concerns about the proposed expansion in the city. City officials said the number of reported incidents involving Cruise and Waymo vehicles has tripled in recent months.

Cruise and Waymo both previously told The Wall Street Journal that their cars haven't caused any traffic fatalities. In their first million miles driven, Waymo said its self-driving vehicles in fully autonomous mode didn't cause any collisions with human drivers.

The companies face pressure not only from city officials, but also their shareholders. So far, the businesses have produced minimal revenue. GM reported \$102 million of sales and \$3.3 billion of costs and expenses related to Cruise last year. Alphabet was asked by shareholders last November to cut their losses on long-term bets like Waymo.

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(a) counsel to the Debtors, (i) White & Case LLP, 200 South Biscayne Boulevard, Suite 4900, Miami, FL 33131, Attr. Thomas EL aura (tlauria@whitecase.com), Matthew C. Brown (mbrown@whitecase.com), Matthew C. Brown (mbrown@whitecase.com), Matthew C. Brown (mbrown.g. Matthew C. Brown (mbrown.g. Matthew). ELaura (Idauna@Wnitecase.com), Matthew C. Brown (inforowne whitecase.com), and Fan B. He (the@whitecase.com), White & Case LLP, 1221 Avenue of the Americas, New York, NY 10020, Athr.: David M. Turetsky (david.turetsky@whitecase.com) and Adam Cieply (adam.cieply@whitecase.com), and (ii) Richards, Layton, & Finger, PA., 920 North King Street, Wilmington, DE 19801, Athr.: Kevin Gross (gross@rft.com), Pacial J. Pacia Daniel J. DeFranceschi (defranceschi@rlf.com), Paul N. Heath (heath@rlf.com), Amanda R. Steele (steele@rlf.com), (b) the Office of the United States Trustee for the District of Delaware,

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NOTICE OF AUCTION AND SALE HEARING
PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that, on June 27, 2023, the aboveaptioned debtors and debtors in possession (collectively, the
Debtors") filed voluntary petitions for relief pursuant to chapter
1 of title 11 of the United States Code (the "Bankruptcy Code")
the United States Bankruptcy Court for the District of Delaware
the "Court")

Procedures) to any purchaseris) or the Assets and approving an ananer of notice thereof.

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that, pursuant to the sidding Procedures Order, the Auction, if any, shall commence on september 19, 2023 at 10:30 a.m. (prevailing Eastern Time) via emote video or in-person, at the Debtors' election. In the event he Debtors elect to conduct the Auction in-person, the Auction shall take place at the offices of White & Case LLP, 1221 Avenue of the Americas, New York, NY 10020 or such other location as may be determined by the Debtors. For the avoidance of doubt, any party, other than a Qualified Bidder, that wishes to attend the Auction may do so via remote video. uction may do so via remote video.
PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that, except as otherwise

etermined by the Debtors, only the following parties and their spective representatives and counsel shall be entitled to thend the auction: (i) the Debtors; (ii) the Consultation Parties; (ii) any Qualified Bidder, including the Stalking Horse Bidder (if ny); (iv) the U.S. Trustee; and (v) any other creditor of the Debtors to the parties of the property of the parties of the period to the parties of the period of the period period to the period of the period to the period of the period period to the pe n@whitecase.com) no later than 24 hours prior to commence-ent of the Auction. Only Qualified Bidders will be entitled to

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PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that, pursuant to the Bidding

Conder the Sale Hearing to consider approval of the rocedures Order, the Sale Hearing to consider approval of the ale of the Assets to the Successful Bidder(s) at the Auction, ee and clear of all liens, claims and encumbrances, will be held efore the Honorable Mary F. Walrath, United States Bankruptcy udge, 824 North Market Street, 3rd Floor, Wilmington,

adjourned by the Debiots from the date scheduled for the Sale cardiors or parties in interest other than by announcement of he adjournment in open court on the date scheduled for the Sale learing or by including such adjournment on any agenda filed with the Court or by the filing of a notice with the Court.

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that objections to approval of the Sale must be in writing, state the basis of such objection with specificity, and be filed with the Court and served before September 14, 2023 at 4:00 p.m. (prevailing Eastern Time) the "Sale Objection Deadline") on the following parties: a) counsel to the Debtors, (i) White & Case LLP, 200 South Siscayne Boulevard, Suite 4900, Maim, FL 33131, Attn: Thomas Laura (tlauria@whitecase.com), Matthew C. Brown (mbrowne whitecase.com), and Fan B. He (fhe@whitecase.com), White & Case LLP, 1221 Avenue of the Americas, New York, NY 10020, Attn: David M. Turetsky (david.turetsky@whitecase.com), and ji) Richards, Layton, & Finger, P.A., 920 North King Street, Wilmington, DE 19801, Attn: Kevin Gross (gross@rff.com), Janiel J. DeFranceschi (defranceschi@rff.com), Paul N. Heath heatth@rff.com), Manada R. Steele (steel@rff.com), (b) the

and (c) proposed counsel to the official committee of unsecured creditors that has been appointed in the Chapter 11 Cases (the "Committee"), (i) Troutman Pepper LLP, Hercules Plaza, Suite 5100, 1313 N. Market Street, Wilmington, De 19801, Attr. David M. Fournier (david.fournier@troutman.com), Marcy McLaughlin Smith (marcy smith@tournian.com) and Tori L. Remington (tori. remington@toutman.com), (ii) Troutman Pepper LLP, 3000 Two remington@troutman.com), (ii) Troutman Pepper LLP, 3000 Two Logan Square, 18th & Arch Streets, Philadelphia, PA 19103-2799, Attn: Francis J. Lawall (francis.lawall@troutman.com), and (iii) Troutman Pepper LLP, 875 Third Avenue, New York, NY 10022, Attn: Deborah Kovsky-Apa (deborah kovsky-froutman.com); provided, that any objection to the Sale to the Successful Bidder and adequate assurance of future performance shall be filed on or before September 26, 2023 at 4:00 p.m. (prevailing Eastern Time) and served on the same parties. UNLESS AN OBJECTION IS TIMELY SERVED AND FILED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THIS NOTICE. THE COURT MAY GRANT THE RELIEF WITH THIS NOTICE, THE COURT MAY GRANT THE REQUESTED WITHOUT FURTHER HEARING AND NOTICE PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that this Sale Notice

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